

CALENDAR

Friday, March 21, 2003 - Day 18

Speaker Johnnie Byrd

Speaker pro tempore Lindsay M. Harrington

The House will convene on Friday, March 21, 2003 at 9:30 AM

These are the times reserved for committee meetings, but committees do not necessarily meet. See detailed meeting notices.

Monday March 17, 2003	Tuesday March 18, 2003	Wednesday March 19, 2003	Thursday March 20, 2003	Friday March 21, 2003
<u>Meeting Notices Due March 13, 2003</u>	<u>Meeting Notices Due March 14, 2003</u>	<u>Meeting Notices Due March 17, 2003</u>	<u>Meeting Notices Due March 18, 2003</u>	<u>Meeting Notices Due March 19, 2003</u>
	<p>9:00 – 12:00</p> <p>Group III Finance & Tax Reed Hall</p> <p>Judiciary Morris Hall <u>Subcommittees:</u> Claims Morris Hall</p> <p>Transportation 404H <u>Subcommittees:</u> Highway Safety 404H Trans. Systems 306H</p>	<p>8:00 – 9:45 <u>Select Committee on</u> Florida's Economic Future Reed Hall</p> <p>10:00 – 2:00</p> <p>SESSION</p>	<p>7:30 – 9:15 Legislative Prayer Breakfast</p> <p>9:30 – 1:30 Group VI Appropriations 212K</p> <p>Group VII Appropriations <u>Subcommittees:</u> Ag. & Env., Approp. 306H Commerce & Local Affairs Approp. 404H Education Approp. Morris Hall Health Approp. 214C Human Svs.Appro. 28H Judicial Approp. 24H Public Safety Approp. 12H Trans. & Econ. Dev. Approp. Reed Hall</p>	<p>9:30 – 2:00</p> <p>SESSION</p>
<p>11:30 – 1:30 Group VIII Joint Committees</p>	<p>12:00 – 1:00 LUNCH Democratic Caucus</p> <p>1:00 – 4:00 Group II Business Reg. Morris Hall <u>Subcommittees:</u> Energy Morris Hall Gaming & Pari-mutuels Morris Hall Telecommunications 12H Trades, Professions, & Reg. Business 24H</p> <p>Future of Florida's Families Reed Hall <u>Subcommittees:</u> Children Services Reed Hall Elder Affairs & Long-Term Care 306H</p> <p>4:30 – 6:00 Group IX <u>Select Committee on:</u> National Defense & Space- Related Economic Development 404H</p>	<p>2:15 – 5:15 Group IV Health Care Morris Hall <u>Subcommittees:</u> Health Services Morris Hall Health Standards 12H</p> <p>Insurance Reed Hall <u>Subcommittees:</u> Health Access & Financing 214C Insurance Reg Reed Hall</p> <p>Natural Resources 404H <u>Subcommittees:</u> Environmental Reg. 306H Public Lands & Water Resources 404H</p>	<p>2:00 – 5:00 Group V Agriculture 214C</p> <p>Local Govt. & Veterans' Affairs Reed Hall <u>Subcommittees:</u> Local Affairs Reed Hall Veteran's & Military Affairs 306H</p> <p>Procedures 212K <u>Subcommittees:</u> Ethics & Elections 404H Rules 212K</p> <p>Public Safety & Crime Prevention Morris Hall <u>Subcommittees:</u> Corrections 24H Criminal Justice Morris Hall Juvenile Justice 28H</p>	<p>2:15 – 4:30 Group I Education K-20 Morris Hall</p>
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IMPORTANT LEGISLATIVE DATES

2003

January 6-10	Interim Committee and Subcommittee Meeting Notice Deadline – December 27	<i>[Rule 7.12] No later than 7 days before the Friday preceding the week of the meeting</i>
January 13-17	Interim Committee and Subcommittee Meeting Notice Deadline – January 3	<i>[Rule 7.12] No later than 7 days before the Friday preceding the week of the meeting</i>
January 20-24	Interim Committee and Subcommittee Meeting Notice Deadline – January 10	<i>[Rule 7.12] No later than 7 days before the Friday preceding the week of the meeting</i>
February 3-7	Interim Committee and Subcommittee Meeting Notice Deadline – January 24	<i>[Rule 7.12] No later than 7 days before the Friday preceding the week of the meeting</i>
February 10-14	Interim Committee and Subcommittee Meeting Notice Deadline – January 31	<i>[Rule 7.12] No later than 7 days before the Friday preceding the week of the meeting</i>
February 17-21	Interim Committee and Subcommittee Meeting Notice Deadline – February 7	<i>[Rule 7.12] No later than 7 days before the Friday preceding the week of the meeting</i>
March 4	First Day of Session 2003 [81 st House since Statehood: 105 th Regular Session since Statehood; 18 th House since 1968 Constitutional Revision]	<i>1st Day [Art. III, s. 3(b), Const.]</i>
March 4	Filing deadline for general bills, local bills originating in the House, joint resolutions, concurrent resolutions (except one relating to extension of a session or legislative organization or procedures), or memorials originating in the House (12 noon)	<i>1st Day [Rule 5.2(a)]</i>
April 13	Bill(s) may no longer be retained for purpose of reconsideration	<i>41st Day [Rule 7.13(b)]</i>
April 17	Last day for committees and subcommittees to meet after giving 2 days (excluding Saturday and Sunday) notice on bills (at least 1 day notice thereafter)	<i>45th Day [Rule 7.10(a)]</i>
April 17	Last day on which committee or subcommittee amendments shall be filed by 5:00 p.m., 1 day (excluding Saturday and Sunday) in advance of committee or subcommittee meeting by nonappointed members (2 hours thereafter)	<i>45th Day [Rule 7.22(c)]</i>
April 19	All bills transmitted to the Senate forthwith	<i>Last 14 Days [Rule 11.7(b)]</i>
May 2	Last day of Regular Session, if Legislature completes work in 60 days	

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COMMITTEE MEETINGS

PURSUANT TO RULE 7.5 (A), ITEMS MAY NOT NECESSARILY BE TAKEN UP
IN THE ORDER IN WHICH THEY APPEAR ON THE AGENDA.

Friday, March 21, 2003

Education K-20

2:15 PM - 4:30 PM Morris Hall (17 HOB)

Consideration of the following bill(s):

HB 901 by Kilmer & others -- Educational Leadership

Pursuant to Rule 7.22, the deadline for amendments to bills on the agenda by non-appointed Members shall be 5:00 p.m., Thursday, March 20, 2003

Per Rep. Kilmer's request, please draw all amendments to the Strike-All amendment.

Monday, March 24, 2003

Commerce

3:00 PM - 5:00 PM 404 HOB

Consideration of the following bill(s):

HB 165 CS by Mack & others -- CS for HB 165;

Homeowners' Associations

HB 533 by Davis, D. -- Convention And Visitors Bureaus

HB 577 by Kendrick -- Financial Services

HB 695 by Culp -- Corporate Affairs

HB 907 by Detert & others -- Funeral and Cemetery Services

HB 1071 by Goodlette -- Florida Uniform Principal and Income Act

HB 1149 by Davis, D. & others -- Economic Development

HB 1167 by Davis, D. -- Trust Funds

HB 1337 by Allen -- Governmental Reorganization

Policy

1:45 PM - 2:45 PM 404 HOB

Discussion of major issues before the House

State Administration

3:00 PM - 6:00 PM Reed Hall (102 HOB)

Consideration of the following bill(s):

HB 215 CS by Kottkamp & others -- Florida Civil Rights Act of 1992

HB 751 by Galvano & others -- H. Lee Moffitt Cancer Center and Research Institute

HB 1029 by State Administration & others -- Notification of an adverse incident provided to the Agency for Health Care Administration

HB 1357 by Brummer & others -- Deduction and Collection of a Bargaining Agent's Dues and Uniform Assessments

Education K-20

3:00 PM - 6:00 PM Morris Hall (17 HOB)

[NOT MEETING]

Joint Legislative Auditing Committee

[NOT MEETING]

Joint Administrative Procedures Committee

11:30 AM - 12:30 PM Room 42 (LL), Senate Office Building

TAB 1 STATUS REPORT

Carroll Webb, Executive Director and General Counsel

TAB 2 NEW OBJECTION

Rule 64B9-15.002, Certified Nursing Assistant
Authorized Duties
Department of Health: Board of Nursing

REPORTS AND APPEARANCES

Consideration of the following Proposed Committee bill(s):

PCB SA 03-22 -- Public Records/Paratransit

PCB SA 03-25 -- Public Records/State Board of Administration

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Subcommittee on Banking & Securities (Commerce)

5:00 PM - 5:30 PM or Upon Full Adjournment 404 HOB

Consideration of the following bill(s):

HB 853 by Fiorentino -- Unclaimed Property

Subcommittee on Education Innovation (Education K-20)

4:30 PM - 6:00 PM Morris Hall (17 HOB)

Consideration of the following bill(s):

HB 703 by Pickens & others -- Class Size Reduction

Pursuant to Rule 7.22, the deadline for amendments to bills on the agenda by non-appointed Members shall be 5:00 p.m., Friday, March 21, 2003.

Please be advised that a Strike-All amendment by the sponsor will be available at 8:00 p.m., Thursday, March 20, 2003.

Chair Attkisson requests that all amendments please be drawn to the Strike-All amendment.

Subcommittee on General Education

(Education K-20)
3:00 PM - 4:15 PM 12 HOB

Consideration of the following bill(s):
HB 231 by Russell & others -- Instructional Materials for K-12 Public Education
HB 463 by Arza -- Florida High School Activities Association
HB 819 by Vana -- Instructional Materials for K-12 Public Education

Consideration of the following Proposed Committee bill(s):
PCB EDK 03-04 -- Educator Certification & Discipline

Subcommittee on Higher Education

(Education K-20)
4:30 PM - 6:00 PM 12 HOB

Consideration of the following bill(s):
HB 31 by Kravitz & others -- Student Financial Assistance
HB 91 by Sansom -- Designation of University Buildings and Roads

HB 119 by Zapata & others -- Determination of Resident Status for Tuition Purposes
HB 319 by Mealor & others -- Governance of State Universities
HB 757 by Davis, M. & others -- Florida Gulf Coast University

Subcommittee on Pre-K through 12

(Education K-20)
3:00 PM - 4:15 PM Morris Hall (17 HOB)

Consideration of the following bill(s):
HB 9 by Negron & others -- Public School Attendance
HB 37 CS by Kravitz & others -- Sexual Offenders
HB 193 by Barreiro & others -- School Readiness Programs
HB 1297 by Carassas & others -- Voter Education

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Subcommittee on Tourism (Commerce)

3:00 PM - 6:00 PM 306 HOB
[NOT MEETING]

Subcommittee on Workforce & Economic Development (Commerce)

5:30 PM - 6:00 PM or Upon B&S Adjournment 404 HOB

Consideration of the following bill(s):
HB 97 by Gottlieb -- Payments to Florida Residents Based on Certain Federal Tax Credits
HB 167 by Jennings & others -- Trust Funds
HB 691 by Hasner -- Economic Development Incentive Programs

DAILY ORDER OF BUSINESS

- 1. Call to Order**
- 2. Prayer**
- 3. Roll Call**
- 4. Pledge of Allegiance**
- 5. Correction of the *Journal***
- 6. Communications**
- 7. Messages from the Senate**
- 8. Reports of Standing Committees**
- 9. Reports of Select Committees**

10. Motions Relating to Committee References

11. Matters on Reconsideration

12. Bills and Joint Resolutions on Third Reading

BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS ON THIRD READING

HB 1591 by State Administration, Mack (Compare S 0288)

Public Records Exemption for State Employee Assistance Program Records; Removes the October 2, 2003, scheduled repeal pursuant to the Open Government Sunset Review Act of 1995 of a public records exemption for records relating to an employee's participation in a state employee assistance program; narrows the exemption to make confidential and exempt an employee's personal identifying information contained in assistance program records. Effective Date: This act shall take effect October 1, 2003

Read second time March 19

HB 1593 by State Administration, Mack (Compare S 1444)

Public Records Exemption for Foster Parent Applicants and Licensed Foster Parents; Expands the public records exemption for specified information relating to foster parents to include foster parent applicants and medical records of licensed foster parents and foster parent applicants; narrows the exemption to remove information contained in neighbor references; makes exempt the name, address, and telephone number of persons providing character or neighbor references; provides for expiration and retroactive application of the exemptions; clarifies language and makes editorial changes; provides for future review and repeal of the exemptions; provides a statement of public necessity. Effective Date: This act shall take effect upon becoming a law

Read second time March 19

HB 1713 by Health Care, Farkas (Compare H 0971, H 1647, S 1912, S 2120)

Medical Incidents; Requires hospitals, ambulatory surgical centers, and mobile surgical facilities to establish patient safety plans and committees; provides for notification of injuries in a hospital, ambulatory surgical center, or mobile surgical facility and injuries by physicians; requires additional information to be included in health care practitioner profiles; provides for fines; requires health care practitioner profiles to be updated within a specific time period; authorizes the Department of Health to utilize subpoenas to obtain patient records without patients' consent under certain circumstances; authorizes the department to determine administrative costs in disciplinary actions; extends

the time for the department to refer a request for an administrative hearing; revises provisions relating to designation of certain citation violations and certain mediation offenses; revises membership of the Board of Medicine and the Board of Osteopathic Medicine; revises requirements for the reporting of paid liability claims; increases the amount of paid liability claims by physicians, osteopathic physicians, and podiatric physicians requiring investigation by the department; establishes emergency procedures for disciplinary actions; prohibits the inclusion of payments made by insurers for bad faith claims in an insurer's rate base; requires annual rate filings; deletes the prohibition against formation of medical malpractice self-insurance funds and provides requirements to form a self-insurance fund; creates the Health Care Professional Liability Insurance Facility and provides for purpose, governance and powers, eligibility requirements, premiums and assessments, regulation, applicability, duties of the department, and debt; requires certain claims information and certain information relating to medical malpractice to be reported to the Office of Insurance Regulation and the department; provides for enforcement; extends the time period for the presuit screening period; provides conditions for causes of action for bad faith against insurers providing coverage for medical negligence; authorizes presuit mediation in medical negligence cases; provides for confidentiality of information; provides for mandatory mediation in medical negligence causes of action; requires offers of settlement and demands for judgment; establishes assessments by the court; provides a limitation on noneconomic damages which can be awarded in causes of action involving medical negligence; provides requirements for medical experts; provides for discovery and admissibility of opinions and statements tendered during presuit investigation; requires the department to study the efficacy and constitutionality of medical review panels and issue a report; provides that a defendant's liability for damages in medical negligence cases is several only; requires patient safety instruction for certain students in public and nonpublic schools, colleges, and universities; requires reports by the Agency for Health Care Administration regarding information to be provided to health care consumers and regarding the establishment of a Patient Safety Authority; repeals a provision relating to damages for wrongful death; removes the prohibition against certain parties from bringing suit for wrongful death as a result of medical negligence. Effective Date: This act shall take effect upon becoming a law and shall apply to all actions filed after the effective date of the act

Read second time and amended March 19; Review period ends on 3/21/2003

13. Special Orders

SPECIAL ORDER CALENDAR FOR FRIDAY, MARCH 21, 2003

HB 287 by Cretul, Baxley, Troutman (Similar CS/S 0148)

Specialty License Plates; Creates a motorcycle specialty license plate; provides for distribution of fees to The Able Trust to be transferred to Prevent Blindness Florida, the Foundation for Vocational Rehabilitation, the Brain and Spinal Cord Injury Program Trust Fund, and the Florida Association of Centers for Independent Living. Effective Date: This act shall take effect October 1, 2003

Transportation: Favorable With Committee Substitute

HB 945 by Poppell, Allen, Bowen, Evers, Kendrick, Machek, McInvale, Rivera, Spratt, Stansel, Troutman, Zapata (Identical S 1222)

Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services; Requires the department to establish rules authorizing nonagricultural laden vehicles to pass an agricultural inspection station without stopping and submitting to an inspection; prohibits a person from impersonating an inspector, agent, or other employee of the department; provides a penalty. Effective Date: This act shall take effect upon becoming a law

Agriculture: Favorable With Committee Substitute

HB 805 by Baker, Attkisson, Patterson, Zapata

Scholarships for Dependent Children of Veterans and Military Personnel; Establishes a program that allows corporate tax credits for contributions to nonprofit scholarship-funding organizations for scholarships to dependent children of veterans and military personnel. Effective Date: This act shall take effect upon becoming a law

Calendar without reference; recommitted on 03/13/2003 to Appropriations: Favorable With Committee Substitute

HM 783 by Cretul, Baxley, Kottkamp, Sansom, Zapata

President's Economic Growth & Tax Relief Plan; Urges the members of the Florida delegation to the Congress of the United States to support and vote to enact President Bush's 2003 Economic Growth and Tax Relief Plan.

Calendar without reference

14. House Resolutions

15. Unfinished Business

16. Introduction and Reference

END OF DAILY ORDER OF BUSINESS

PENDING SPECIAL ORDER CALENDAR FOR TUESDAY, MARCH 25, 2003

HB 739 by Kottkamp, Baxley (Compare S 1488, S 2318)

Succession to the Office of Governor; Provides that the line of succession for Governor and Acting Governor shall be Lieutenant Governor, followed by the Attorney General, the Chief Financial Officer, the Commissioner of Agriculture, the President of the Senate, the Speaker of the House, the President Pro Tempore of the Senate, the Speaker Pro Tempore of the House, and the Secretary of State, in that order. Effective Date: This act shall take effect upon becoming a law

State Administration: Favorable With Committee Substitute: Closed to amendments on 3/20/2003

HB 1627 by Rivera, Davis, M., Llorente, Planas, Robaina, Rubio, Sobel, Zapata (Similar S 1488)

Governmental Reorganization; Revises various statutory provisions relating to the Cabinet and to members of the Cabinet, which provisions were affected by the amendment of Article IV, Section 4 of the State Constitution; conforms various statutory

provisions to such revisions. Effective Date: This act shall take effect upon becoming a law

State Administration: Favorable; Closed to amendments on 3/20/2003

HB 565 by Kyle

Lee County; Provides for the election of commissioners from single districts; provides for the creation of districts; provides an exception; provides for a referendum and ballot statement. Effective Date: This act shall take effect only upon its approval by a majority vote of those qualified electors of Lee County voting in a referendum to be held by the Lee County Board of County Commissioners in conjunction with the next regular primary, special, ge

Calendar without reference: Closed to amendments on 3/24/2003

Bills Placed on Calendar and Available for Floor Amendment

Friday, March 21, DAY 1

Pursuant to House Rule 12.2-Filing: 2-day Amendment Cycle, the following bills were referred directly to Calendar or reported favorably by the last committee of reference by 4:30 p.m., **Thursday, March 20**. A main floor amendment must be filed by 10:00 a.m. of the second day, Monday, March 24. A substitute floor amendment or amendment to a floor amendment must be filed by 6 p.m. on the second day, Monday, March 24.

HB 273 CS (Local Bill)	By Kosmas	Relating to Southeast Volusia Hospital District
HB 365 CS	By Ross	Relating to Audits of State Agency Direct-Support Organizations and Citizen Support Organizations
HB 565 CS (Local Bill)	By Kyle	Relating to Lee County
HB 631 CS (Local Bill)	By Benson	Relating to Escambia County
HB 1113 CS (Local Bill)	By Clarke	Relating Sarasota County
HB 1739	By Kilmer	Relating to Access to Postsecondary Education

BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS ON SECOND READING

HB 243 by Holloway, Adams, Arza, Attkisson, Baxley, Brutus, Bullard, Cantens, Evers, Fiorentino, Garcia, Hogan, Kendrick, Kilmer, Llorente, Murzin, Needelman, Negron, Planas, Prieguez, Quinones, Rivera, Rubio, Sansom, Stansel, Stargel, Zapata (Identical S 1916)

School Prayer; Authorizes individual district school boards by resolution to allow invocation or benediction at specified secondary school-related events; provides legislative intent. Effective Date: This act shall take effect July 1, 2003

Judiciary: Favorable; Closed to amendments on 3/11/2003

HB 255 by Goodlette

Collier County; Increases the borrowing power of the City of Naples Airport Authority from \$5,000,000 to \$15,000,000. Effective Date: This act shall take effect upon becoming a law

Subcommittee on Local Affairs: Favorable; Local Government & Veterans' Affairs: Favorable; Closed to amendments on 3/18/2003

HB 273 by Kosmas

Southeast Volusia Hospital District; Volusia County; codifies district's charter. Effective Date: This act shall take effect upon becoming a law

Finance & Tax: Favorable; Local Government & Veterans' Affairs: Favorable With Committee Substitute; Closed to amendments on 3/24/2003

HB 307 by Sorensen

City of North Key Largo Beach, Monroe County; Abolishes the city; provides for transfer of assets and liabilities to the Board of County Commissioners of Monroe County. Effective Date: This act shall take effect upon becoming a law

Local Government & Veterans' Affairs: Favorable; Closed to amendments on 3/11/2003

HB 353 by Carassas

The Pinellas County Construction Licensing Board, Pinellas County; Revises composition of board. Effective Date: This act shall take effect upon becoming a law

Local Government & Veterans' Affairs: Favorable With Committee Substitute; Subcommittee on Local Affairs: Favorable Closed to amendment on 3/20/2003

HB 365 by Ross (Similar S 1036)

Audits of State Agency Direct-Support Organizations and Citizen Support Organizations; Specifies financial audit requirements for state agency direct-support organizations and citizen support organizations; excludes such organizations of the Department of Environmental Protection that are not for profit and have annual expenditures of less than \$300,000 from such requirements; requires the Department of Environmental Protection to establish financial management guidelines; requires the department to conduct operational and financial reviews of direct-support organizations or citizen support organizations under its jurisdiction each year. Effective Date: This act shall take effect July 1, 2003

Calendar without reference; Closed to amendment on 3/24/2003

HB 415 by Baxley, Cantens, Cretul, Kravitz, Zapata (Identical S 1250)

Obscenity; Requires public libraries to install and maintain computer software or equivalent technology that prohibits access to obscene materials by minors; provides that the installation of software or technology in a library having only one public-access computer is within the library's discretion; providing a finding of important state interest. Effective Date: This act shall take effect October 1, 2003

Judiciary: Favorable; Closed to amendments on 3/14/2003

HB 431 by Sorensen

Monroe County; Florida Keys Aqueduct Authority; extends time senior citizens can file for discount. Effective Date: This act shall take effect upon becoming a law

Local Government & Veterans' Affairs: Favorable; Closed to amendments on 3/18/2003

HB 631 by Benson

Escambia County; Authorizes the Board of County Commissioners to adopt, by ordinance, the schedule of rates for per diem and subsistence allowances, transportation expenses, and other expenses established by the Federal Government for official county travel. Effective Date: This act shall take effect upon becoming a law

Calendar without reference; Closed to amendments on 3/24/2003

HB 803 by Barreiro, Ambler, Gelber, Gottlieb, Greenstein, Kravitz, Planas, Rich, Richardson, Ritter, Rivera, Roberson (Identical S 2412)

Special Observances; Designates the month of January of each year as "Florida Jewish History Month"; provides for a proclamation by the Governor to that effect. Effective Date: This act shall take effect upon becoming a law

State Administration: Favorable; Closed to amendments on 3/13/2003

HB 825 by Davis, D. (Identical CS/S 0160)

Controlled Substances; Provides that 1,4-Butanediol and gamma-butyrolactone (GBL) are excepted from the schedule of controlled substances when used for certain industrial purposes and in the possession of an authorized manufacturer or distributor or when those substances are in the form of a finished product; specifies that it is unlawful to sell, manufacture, deliver, or possess a controlled substance within 1,000 feet of a child care facility or public or private elementary, middle, or secondary school between the hours of 6 a.m. and 12 midnight. Effective Date: This act shall take effect upon becoming a law

Public Safety & Crime Prevention: Favorable; Subcommittee on Criminal Justice: Favorable; Closed to amendments on 3/25/2003

HM 1091 by Hasner, Gottlieb, Needelman, Rich, Troutman, Zapata (Similar H 9021, Identical S 1170)

Solidarity with Israel; Expresses support for Israel in its efforts to combat terrorism.

Calendar without reference; Closed to amendments on 3/6/2003

HB 1113 by Clarke

Sarasota County; Codifies special acts relating to the Sarasota County Public Hospital District. Effective Date: This act shall take effect upon becoming a law

Calendar without reference: Closed to amendments on 3/24/2003

HB 1703 by Public Safety & Crime Prevention, Barreiro

Mitigating Factors in Certain Offenses; Provides that the fact that a victim was an initiator, willing participant, aggressor, or provoker of an incident, or consented to an incident, is not a mitigating factor to any sexual battery offense or lewd and lascivious offense committed in the presence of persons less than 16 years old if the offender is at least 3 years older than the victim; provides that the fact a person committed a felony level offense of driving under the influence under s. 316.193 in an unsophisticated manner is not a mitigating factor for such offense. Effective Date: This act shall take effect upon becoming a law

Calendar without reference; Closed to amendments on 3/19/2003

HB 1739 by Education K-20, Kilmer (Compare H 0703, H 0851, CS/CS/S 1436)

Access to Postsecondary Education; Deletes requirement that the high school life management skills course be taken at specific grade levels; requires certain test accommodations and modifications of procedures for students with disabilities; requires award of a standard diploma to a student with a disability who meets certain criteria; revises provisions relating to admission of students to community colleges; revises provisions relating to eligibility for reasonable substitutions for admission and graduation requirements; requires review and report on use of acceleration mechanisms and grading practices. Effective Date: This act shall take effect upon becoming a law.

Calendar without reference; Closed to amendments on 3/24/2003

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